CALIFORNIA AIR RESOURCES BOARD

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING TO PROVIDE AN UPDATE ON SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES STRATEGY DEVELOPMENT

The Air Resources Board (ARB or Board) will conduct a public meeting at the time and place noted below to consider an update on the status of the San Joaquin Valley Metropolitan Planning Organizations' (MPO) development of their Sustainable Communities Strategies (SCS).

DATE: May 22, 2014

TIME: 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: California Environmental Protection Agency

Air Resources Board
Byron Sher Auditorium
1001 I Street, Second Floor
Sacramento, California 95814

This item may be considered at a one-day meeting of the Board, which will commence at 9:00 a.m., May 22, 2014, and may continue at 8:30 a.m., on May 23, 2014. This item may not be considered until May 23, 2014. Please consult the agenda for the meeting, which will be available at least 10 days before May 22, 2014, to determine the day on which this item will be considered.

Under Senate Bill 375 (SB 375), the Sustainable Communities and Climate Protection Act of 2008, (Stats. 2008, ch. 728) each of the California MPOs is required to prepare and adopt a regional transportation plan with an SCS (or an Alternative Planning Strategy) that includes a forecasted development pattern for the region that is integrated with the transportation network, measures, and policies that could, if feasible, meet the greenhouse gas emission reduction targets set by the ARB. In 2010, ARB established these targets for 2020 and 2035 for each region covered by one of the State's MPOs.

Each of the eight San Joaquin Valley MPOs has published a draft SCS for public review. ARB staff will provide an oral briefing with an overview of the measures and policies reflected in each these eight published draft SCSs. This is an informational item and no Board action will be taken.

Interested members of the public may present comments orally or in writing at the meeting and may provide comments by postal mail or by electronic submittal before the meeting. To be considered by the Board, written comments not physically submitted at the meeting, must be received <u>no later than 5:00 pm, Monday, May 19, 2014,</u> and addressed to the following:

Postal mail: Clerk of the Board, Air Resources Board 1001 I Street, Sacramento, California 95814

Electronic submittal: http://www.arb.ca.gov/lispub/comm/bclist.php

Please note that under the California Public Records Act (Government Code section 6250 et seq.), your written and verbal comments, attachments, and associated contact information (e.g., your address, phone, email, etc.) become part of the public record and can be released to the public upon request.

ARB requests that written and email statements on this item be filed at least 10 days prior to the meeting so that ARB staff and Board members have additional time to consider each comment. Further inquiries regarding this matter should be directed to Ms. Terry Roberts, Manager, Sustainable Communities Policy and Planning Section, at (626) 450-6182.

SPECIAL ACCOMMODATION REQUEST

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- An interpreter to be available at the meeting;
- Documents made available in an alternate format or another language;
- A disability-related reasonable accommodation.

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- · Documentos disponibles en un formato alterno u otro idioma;
- Una acomodación razonable relacionados con una incapacidad.

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Richard W. Corey Executive Officer

Date: May 7, 2014

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